

REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

In the Office action dated January 5, 2005, the Examiner objected to claims 1-3 and 10-12 as lacking a clear antecedent basis for "...the bottom electrode...." Likewise, claim 10 was rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 112, 2d paragraph as lacking a clear antecedent basis for "...the ferroelectric layer...." By this amendment, those matters have been resolved.

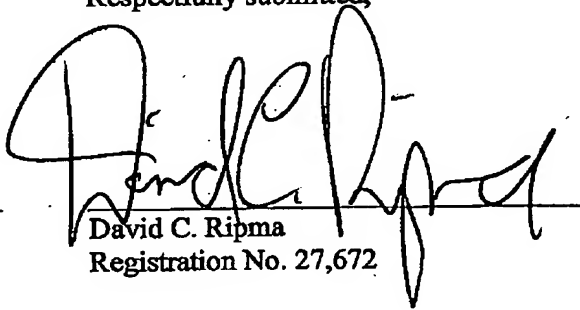
In the Specification, no changes.

In the Claims, claims 1 - 3 and 10 - 12 are amended.

In light of the foregoing amendment, the Examiner is respectfully requested to reconsider the rejections and objections stated in the Office action, and pass the application to allowance. If the Examiner has any questions regarding the amendment or remarks, the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned.

Respectfully submitted,

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